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### **MEDIA ADVISORY**

**WHAT: Milwaukee Police Citizen Academy Graduation, including 8 members of Hmong community**

**WHEN: 6 p.m., Thursday, May 11, 2006**

**WHERE: Milwaukee Police Academy, 6680 N. Teutonia Avenue**

**DETAILS: 31 citizens, including for the first time, 8 members of Milwaukee's Hmong community, will graduate following their completion of a 10-week program designed to provide citizens with a working knowledge of the Milwaukee Police Department. Those Hmong graduates will now work with the Department to create a Citizen Academy that will be held in Hmong. The Hmong graduates also will help Milwaukee Police translate community service materials into Hmong for use by the community.**

**Speakers tonight include Milwaukee Police Chief Nannette Hegerty and Wisconsin Attorney General Peg Lautenschlager.**

**The Department currently is conducting sign-up for the next session of the Citizen Academy which will begin Wednesday, June 7, 2006.**

**Media are invited to attend the event and are encouraged to attend the Citizen Academy.**

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